



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
 United States Patent and Trademark Office  
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
 www.uspto.gov



Bib Data Sheet

CONFIRMATION NO. 1096

SERIAL NUMBER 10/774,529	FILING DATE 02/10/2004 RULE	CLASS 438	GROUP ART UNIT 2818	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 33773M064
-----------------------------	-----------------------------------	--------------	------------------------	----------------------------------

## APPLICANTS

Toshiharu Daii, Tokyo, JAPAN;

Erumu Nitta, Tokyo, JAPAN;  
Masatoshi Wakahara, Tokyo, JAPAN;

NONE, CAL

\*\* CONTINUING DATA \*\*\*\*\*

YES, CAL

\*\* FOREIGN APPLICATIONS \*\*\*\*\*

JAPAN 2003 - 34508 02/13/2003

## IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED

\*\* 05/07/2004

Foreign Priority claimed 35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met	yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/>	STATE OR COUNTRY JAPAN	SHEETS DRAWING 10	TOTAL CLAIMS 2	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS 2
Verified and Acknowledged Examiner's Signature	<i>CH</i> Initials				

## ADDRESS

00441  
 SMITH, GAMBRELL & RUSSELL, LLP  
 1850 M STREET, N.W., SUITE 800  
 WASHINGTON , DC  
 20036

## TITLE

Semiconductor wafer processing method

FILING FEE RECEIVED 770	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit
-------------------------------	---	---